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Sent: 4/30/2015 7:18:03 PM
To: Skadowski, Suzanne [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=1713ed42e6e244bc9fcd783d4a8d39ab-Skadowski, Suzanne]
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Subject: RE: Press inquiry Hunters Point and Treasure Island

Sounds good – thanks Suzanne! I am the PIO for Hunter's Point but Sandy Nax is our PIO for Treasure Island. So press inquiries for Treasure Island can be sent to him – sandy.nax@dtsc.ca.gov

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From: Skadowski, Suzanne [mailto:Skadowski.Suzanne@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, April 30, 2015 11:57 AM
To: Edmondson, Russ@DTSC
Cc: LEE, LILY; Harris-Bishop, Rusty
Subject: FW: Press inquiry Hunters Point and Treasure Island

FYI, per my previous email.

We are preparing responses for questions on Hunter's Point relevant to EPA and referring the reporter to DTSC and Navy for questions on Treasure Island. Are you the main contact for press inquiries on Treasure Island?

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From: Personal Email / Ex. 6
Sent: Wednesday, April 29, 2015 7:49 PM
To: Skadowski, Suzanne
Subject: Re: Press inquiry Hunters Point and Treasure Island

Thank you.

-Toshio

On Apr 29, 2015, at 5:53 PM, Skadowski, Suzanne <Skadowski.Suzanne@epa.gov> wrote:

Thank you for the questions, I'll work with the project staff on a response shortly.

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From: Toshio Meronek [Personal Email / Ex. 6]

Sent: Tuesday, April 28, 2015 12:36 PM

To: Skadowski, Suzanne

Subject: Re: Press inquiry Hunters Point and Treasure Island

Hi Suzanne,

Thanks for the response. I have looked around at the EPA site and am in touch with the Navy. I'm interested in answers to these questions:

- What types of environmental complaints have residents filed with concern to these sites?
- What are the possible health concerns at these sites?
- Does the EPA have a sense for when the last parcel located at these sites will be deleted from the EPA's Superfund registry?
- Is it typical for residential housing to be erected on recent Superfund sites?
- Does the EPA have a statement regarding the Navy's attempts to downplay concern over radiation? Eg. should the public be concerned over the Navy's ability to oversee cleanup?

It would be fantastic to get responses by May 8.

Much appreciative,
Toshio

On Mon, Apr 27, 2015 at 11:11 AM, Skadowski, Suzanne <Skadowski.Suzanne@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Toshio,

Thank you for contacting us. I'm EPA's press officer for Northern California, including the Hunter's Point Naval Shipyard cleanup.

Please tell me a bit more about the story you are working on:

Have you researched these sites on our EPA webpages? Hunters Point

Have you been in touch with the Navy, who is the lead agency for these cleanups? Hunters Point Treasure Island

Can you please send me a list of specific questions for EPA, based on your research thus far?

And what is your deadline for EPA's response?

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From: Toshio Meronek { [Personal Email / Ex. 6](#) }

Sent: Saturday, April 25, 2015 2:39 PM

To: Stensby, David

Subject: Press inquiry

Hello,

I'm a journalist with Al Jazeera America, working on a story on new housing developments in Hunters Point and on Treasure Island in San Francisco. I'm hoping you can connect me with someone at the EPA that can speak about the chemicals of concern at these former Navy bases.

Thank you,

Toshio Meronek

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